The need was felt in 1985 for an autopilot for incorporation into the Jaguar control system. Autopilot equipment during the eighties was of large dimension and it could not be integrated in the Jaguars. In the nineties, smaller systems were available and a decision was taken to install the autopilot. A contract was concluded in August 1999 for supply of autopilot systems with associated spares. Work for integration of this equipment is in hand.

A contract was signed with Russia in March 1996 for upgradation of MiG-21 BIS aircraft. The programme is expected to be completed by 2004-2005. The delay has been due to key avionics systems not having been develped as per expected time frame and because of problems of import procedures in Russia. Two aircraft upgraded in Russia have now been positioned at Hindustan Aeronautics Limited (HAL), Nasik and are undergoing test flights.

Liaison Officers for SCs, STs and OBCs

*412. PROF. A. LAKSHMISAGAR : Will the Minister of TEXTILES be pleased to state:

(a) whether some of the Departments/Subordinate and Attached Offices, Public Sector and Autonomous Organizations/Corporations under the Ministry of Textiles are not nominating Liaison Officer for SCs, STs and OBCs as required under MHA OM No. 16/17/67-Estt. (C) dated 10.4.1968 and DOPT OM No. 36022/5/76 dated 27.5.1976 for ensuring proper compliance of instructions in the matters of reservations for SCs, STs and OBCs;

(b) if so, the names of such Offices/Organizations;

(c) if not, the names of Organizations which function as 'Administrative Units' under this Ministry; and

(d) the Liaison Officers nominated for above referred purpose as on date?

THE MINISTER OF TEXTILES (SHRI KASHIRAM RANA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) and (d) The names of organizations/administrative units under Ministry of Textiles and the names of Liaison Officers nominated for SCs, STs and OBCs for ensuring compliance of instructions in the matter of reservations in the Ministry of Textiles including its organizations are as under:—

Sl. No.	Name of the Organisations/ Administrative Units	Liaison Officer for SC, ST and OBCs
1	2	3
1.	Ministry of Textiles (proper)	Shri Chander Bhan, Dy. Secretary
Attached/Subordinate Offices		
2.	O/o Development Commissioner (Handlooms)	Shri Amiya Chandra, Jt. Development Commissioner
3.	O/o Development Commissioner (Handicrafts)	Shri S.K. Jana, Dy. Director
4.	O/o Textile Commissioner	Shri S.K. Patra, Director
5.	O/o Jute Commissioner	Shri A.K. Kapas, Dy. Jute Commissioner
Public Sector Undertaking		
6.	Handicrafts and Handlooms Export Corporation, Ltd.,	Shri Kundan Lal, Dy. Manager
7.	Central Cottage Industries Corporation, Ltd.,	Shri S.K. Goel, Dy. Manager
8.	North Eastern Handicrafts and Handlooms Dev. Corpn., Ltd.	Shri Lalhumma, Managing Director
9.	Cotton Corporation of India Ltd.	Shri S.C. Achrekar, Dy. Manager For SCs/ STs and Shri V.K. Velayudhan For OBC
10.	National Handloom Development Corpn. Ltd.,	Sh. H.K. Dixit, Sr. Manager
11.	Jute Corporation of India, Ltd.,	Shri M.R. Basumatari, Marketing Manager
12.	National Jute Manufactures Corporation, Ltd.,	Shri S.N. Banerjee, Asstt. Manager
13.	National Textile Corporation Ltd.,	
	NTC, (Holding Company)	Shri B.D. Joshi, Manager for SCs/STs and Shri H.C. Kalra, Manager for OBCs.
	Subsidiaries	
	(i) NTC (SM), Ltd.,	Sh. P.W. Waghmare, Dy. Gen. Manager
	(ii) NTC (MN), Ltd.,	Sh. R.S. Nagaonkar, Manager for SCs STs and Sh. A.R. Wavre, for OBCs
	(iii) NTC (Gujarat) Ltd.,	Sh. V.K. Mittal, General Manager
	(iv) NTC (MP), Ltd.,	Shri G.S. Chauhan, Gen. Manager
	(v) NTC (UP) Ltd.,	Sh. S.N. Saxena, Manager
	(vi) NTC (WBABO) Ltd.,	Sh. P. Roy, Dy. Manager

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	(vii) NTC (APKKM) Ltd.,	Sh. R. Kanojia, General Manager
	(viii) NTC (TN&P), Ltd.,	Sh. A.N. Kutty, Manager
	(ix) NTC (DP&R), Ltd.,	Sh. H.S. Rathore, Gen. Mgr. for SCs/STs and B.K. Vij, Dy. Gen. Mgr. for OBCs
14.	British India Corporation Ltd.	Shri R.K. Misra, General Manager
Statutory/Autonomous Organisations		
15.	Central Silk Board	Dr. V. Thiagarajan, Jt. Director
16.	Textile Committee	Shri P.K. Mandal, Chief Inspecting Officer
17.	Jute Manufactures Development Council	Sh. J.K. Sen, Asstt. Secretary
18.	National Centre for Jute Diversification	Shri Subrata Biswas, Executive Director
19.	National Institute of Fashion Technology	Ms. Meena Dureja, Registrar
20.	Central Wool Development Board	Dr. D.K. Dhodawat, Executive, Director

Application of POTO in Jammu and Kashmir

*413. SHRI NILOTPAL BASU: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have taken note of the controversy arising out of the first application of the POTO in Jammu and Kashmir;

(b) if so, the details of the case and the views of the State Government thereon; and

(c) whether Government are forwarding some advice to the State Government on this development?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI CHENNAMANENI VIDYASAGAR RAO): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The State Government of Jammu and Kashmir has informed that, on 22.11.2001, a raid was conducted on the residential house of one Gh. Mohammad Dar s/o Mohammad Abdullah Dar R/o Safakadal, Srinagar on the basis on an intelligence input that terrorists had established a hide-out in the said house. During the operation, a substantial quantity of arms/ammunition, explosives, etc. were recovered and five persons including Gh. Mohammad Dar were arrested.